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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

CHOI et al.

Confirmation No. 5425

Serial No. 10/527,438

Art Unit: 1636

Filed: March 11, 2005

Examiner: JOIKE, Michele

For:

METHOD FOR SCREENING OF A LIPASE HAVING IMPROVED ENZYMATIC ACTIVITY USING

YEAST SURFACE DISPLAY VECTOR AND THE LIPASE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17, 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time as follows:

Three-month extension of time to respond to the Official Action dated June 1, 2007 (\$525.00 fee), making a response due on or before December 1, 2007.

XX Enclosed is our check no: 5371 to cover the three-month extension of time fee (\$525.00 fee) for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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